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Applicants: Yu, et al.

Application No.: 09/589,285

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Title: Neutrokine-alpha and Neutrokine-alpha
Splice Variants



Group Art Unit: Not yet assigned

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, Applicants hereby request that the following amendments and remarks be entered into the subject application.

In the Specification:

~~At page 24, line 19, please delete "shows" and replace therewith --show--;~~

~~At page 25, line 6, please delete "Figure 2)" and replace therewith --Figures 2A, 2B, 2C and 2D--;~~

~~line 10, please delete "**Figures 2A and 2B**" and replace therewith --**Figures 2A, 2B, 2C and 2D**--;~~

~~line 12, please delete "Figures 2A and 2B" and replace therewith --Figures 2A, 2B, 2C and 2D--;~~

~~line 13, please delete "Figures 2A and 2B" and replace therewith --Figures 2A, 2B, 2C and 2D--;~~

~~line 14, please delete "Figures 2A and 2B" and replace therewith --Figures 2A, 2B, 2C and 2D--;~~

~~line 15, please delete "Figures 2A and 2B" and replace therewith --Figures 2A, 2B, 2C and 2D--.~~

~~At page 26, line 20, please delete "shows" and replace therewith --show--;~~